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PREECLAMPSIA

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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This communication is in response to a request by Examiner Shukla and relates to communications with Examiner Haddad regarding the Amendment and Reply dated 12-16-09 concerning the above-referenced patent application. As a Notice of Appeal was filed on 12-16-09, this requested supplemental amendment is timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.